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W. J. SELICK & SON--DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

JUST RECEIVED FROM THE EASTERN MARKETS,

THE FINEST LINE OF

## DRESS GOODS

EVER SHOWN IN PAW PAW.

We offer Henrietta Cloths, in all the leading colors, for 25 and 37 1-2 cents per yard.

All Wool Henriettas, all colors, from 48 cents upwards.

Whip Cords, Habit Cloths and Broad Cloths, both in black and colors, great value. The whip cord mentioned is the very latest in fine Dress Goods.

We have added largely to our Black and Colored Silks and Ladies will do well to see them before buying.

Flannels from 20 cents per yard up.

Just opened, a large stock of Cloaks. Our PLUSH CLOAKS are irresistible.

The newest novelties at the lowest prices.

Respectfully,

W. J. SELICK & SON.

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## G. E. GILMAN'S BOOT AND SHOE STORE

One of the finest and most complete lines of

Ladies', Misses' and Children's,

Men's, Youths' and Boys'

## Fine \* Shoes

EVER SHOWN IN VAN BUREN COUNTY.

Come and see for yourself if the above is not true. At the only Exclusive

Boot and Shoe Store in Paw Paw.

G. E. GILMAN.

ED. NASH--GROCERIES.

## New Store! New Goods!

Our Patrons will please take notice that we have removed our stock to

## ALLEN'S NEW BUILDING

North side of Main Street,

Where we shall be pleased to meet all of our old patrons and any others who may wish to give us a share of their custom.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

## Choice Groceries and Provisions

CONSTANTLY ON HAND

## AT THE LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Call in and Examine for Yourself.

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TRUE NORTHERNER,  
A. C. MARTIN, Publisher.

Largest Circulation in the County.

SUBSCRIPTION, \$1.50 A YEAR.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

M. E. Whalen, M. D.,  
Physician and surgeon. Office over Bartram  
& Millington's Drug Store. Office hours,  
2-5 p. m., 7-9 p. m. 1691ly.

FINE! "HENLEY'S" TAILORING.  
Academy of Music building, Kalamazoo,  
Mich. 1744lf

I am prepared to furnish the people of  
Paw Paw with coal at lowest cash  
prices. Leave orders with Fred Bils-  
borrow. The highest market price  
paid for fat cattle, sheep and hogs.  
1731 t. f. W. H. WILSON.

Wanted!  
Money or note for all unsettled book  
accounts within the next thirty days.  
Please think of this when in town and  
oblige GEO. W. LONGWELL. 311f

If you want to buy or see the best  
FENCE MACHINE  
in the world for making Wire and  
Picket Fence, call on us. Anybody can  
handle it and do a good job. Price of  
machine, \$10.00 each and satisfaction  
guaranteed or no sale.  
31126556 WENT REYNOLDS,  
CHARLIE BUTLER.

Dr. J. J. Garcia, Dentist. Graduate  
of Michigan University. Best rubber  
plates, upper or lower set, \$8.00. Gold  
fillings, \$1.00 and upwards. All kinds  
of plaster fillings, amalgam, cement etc.  
50c. Crown and bridge work at mod-  
erate prices. Single extractions 25c.  
General and local anesthetics used for  
the painless extraction of teeth. Mat-  
erial and workmanship guaranteed the  
best. Office, brick block, opposite  
court house. 1742lf

A. W. Hendrick, M. D.,  
Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw Mich.  
Office in Manning Block. Special attention  
given to diseases of the Lungs, Liver and  
Kidneys, Private Diseases, Piles and Female  
Complaints--to all Chronic Diseases.

Fine Photographs!  
Henry Shafer, our popular photog-  
rapher, quotes interesting prices. One  
doz. cabinet photos and a 14x17 picture,  
framed, \$8.00; cabinet photos, from  
\$3.00 to \$5.00 per doz. Views of resi-  
dences, stock, etc., on short notice and  
in finest style. Frames of all kinds,  
bamboo and rustic gilt easels--very  
fine. Give him a call. 1741ly

Mills, Osborn & Goss,  
Lawyers.  
Office, Paw Paw; associate office,  
Kalamazoo, Mich. A. J. MILLS,  
J. W. OSBORN,  
O. A. GOSS. 1723-4f

Drive Wells.  
Charles H. Scott desires to inform the  
people of Van Buren County, that he repairs  
pumps of all kinds and puts down drive  
wells. Twelve years' experience. Leave  
orders at the store of Dunning & Bilsborrow,  
Paw Paw. 1644

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.,  
I am a graduate of the dental depart-  
ment of the University of Maryland,  
and will make the preservation of nat-  
ural teeth a specialty. Vitalized air  
administered in the extraction of teeth  
when desired. All work warranted.  
Office over E. Smith's, Paw Paw. 1674lf

Millinery--Mrs. R. R. Odell.  
Ladies should remember the live mil-  
linery store on Kalamazoo street. An  
elegant line of hats, bonnets, velvets,  
plushes, hair and hat ornaments, hair  
goods and all the spring and summer  
novelties constantly on hand. New  
goods, reasonable prices. Trimming in  
the latest and most fashionable styles.

Paw Paw Savings Bank.  
Capital \$50,000.00 F. W. SELICK, Pres.  
E. A. CRANE Vice Pres., JOHN W. FREE,  
Cashier. Board of Directors,  
J. J. WOODMAN, DANIEL LYLE,  
JOHN LYLE, WILLIAM LYLE,  
JOHN W. FREE, EDWIN MARTIN,  
F. W. SELICK, WILLIAM J. SELICK,  
EDGAR A. CRANE. 1732ly

J. A. Leech,  
House, Sign and Carriage Painter, Paper  
Hanger and Ceiling Decorator. Shop over  
Mason's Planning Mill, Paw Paw. 66ly

Society Notice.  
Apollo Temple No. 15, K. P. C., will  
meet every Thursday evening at  
7:30. 1701ly

Hawkins & Son.  
Brokers, Notaries Public and Convey-  
ancers. Money to loan and collections  
made in all parts of Van Buren county.  
Remittances promptly made. Office  
opposite Dyckman House, Paw Paw,  
Mich. 1388ly

Headquarters for Salt, Lime, Cement,  
Hair and Stucco; also a choice lot of  
Seed Beans for sale. Orders left at  
Esq. Mason's office or Broughton's store  
will receive immediate attention. Re-  
spectfully, GEO. W. LONGWELL. 311f

J. W. Doyle, M. D.,  
Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw Mich.  
Office up stairs in brick block,  
opposite the court house. Office hours  
from 1 to 5 and 6 to 8. 1742-ly

Paw Paw Marble and Granite Works.  
People are beginning to find out that their  
money will go much further in buying gran-  
ite and marble in Paw Paw than at any  
other place, comparisons having been so  
often made. Our trade for 1887 was the  
largest for 21 years. Our stock is complete  
and is the largest of any in this part of  
the country, not excepting Kalamazoo. We keep  
50 finished monuments on hand, of all kinds,  
so our friends can see for themselves what  
they like, and from 10 to 25 per cent lower  
than at any other place; so don't fail to call  
here before you buy, and show your appreci-  
ation of our efforts to show you a large col-  
lection. Granite from Scotland, Germany,  
Sweden and New Brunswick, besides all of  
our handiwork American marbles.  
1712ly L. A. WHITMAN, Proprietor.

### Teachers' Examinations.

The following is the schedule of dates  
and places for examination during the  
ensuing school year. These dates will  
not be changed.

Hartford.....Friday, Sept. 28, 1888  
So. Haven....." Oct. 26, "  
Lawton....." Nov. 30, "  
Paw Paw.....Thursday, March 7, 1889  
Gobleville.....Friday, April 26, "  
Paw Paw.....Thursday, Aug. 1,  
1746ly A. C. MARTIN, Secretary.

### Wheat! Wheat!

Highest market price paid for wheat  
by A. Van Auker, Paw Paw, Mich. 1742-4f

### For Rent!

A desirable dwelling house on Main  
street, in the village of Paw Paw. En-  
quire of C. F. ALLEN.  
1747lf Paw Paw, Mich.

### For Sale!

We have bran, middlings and screen-  
ings for sale at Paw Paw Mills.  
1748lf WISE & TUCKEY.

### Sheep for Sale!

Full blood Shropshire sheep for sale,  
bucks and ewes.  
J. E. ABRAMS, Prospect Lake,  
483050 Van Buren Co., Mich.

G. W. Koons has at his harness store  
the largest stock of Blankets and Robes  
in the county, and at lowest possible  
prices. t2050

### Grapes!

Concord, 2 cts. per pound at vine-  
yard. Less in quantity. A. H. SMITH,  
46tf One mile south of Paw Paw.

Call at G. W. Koons' and examine  
his stock of Harnesses, Robes, Blankets,  
Whips, Trunks and Satchels. A big  
stock of goods in his line, at the lowest  
prices for first class goods. t2050

### A Position

As salesman, with good pay, to any  
reliable man furnishing satisfactory re-  
ferences. Apply to S. A. McOMBER,  
484051 Rochester, N. Y.

When in Paw Paw, call and examine  
the big stock of Harnesses and Horse  
Furnishing Goods at G. W. Koons'. 050

### New Tin Shop.

Having opened a tin shop in the old Har-  
ison block, in the village of Paw Paw, I re-  
spectfully solicit a share of public patronage.  
Repairing promptly done. J. H. WATERS. 97tf

Jas. P. Preece, the Ladies' Tailor.  
Seal and Plush Garments reshaped,  
relined, steamed and fur trimmed. Tail-  
or made street garments to order. 48tf

### Campaign Whips

For sale at G. W. Koons'. t2050

### For Sale!

A good work or driving horse for sale  
cheap, if taken at once. t2050  
J. M. LONGWELL.

### The Special Premiums

That G. W. Koons offers at the county  
fair held the 10th, 11th and 12th of  
October are on exhibition in his show  
window. t2050

### Money on Farms.

On long time, easy payments and mod-  
erate rates. Large sums preferred.  
1749lf CHANE & BRECK.

### Settle Up.

All persons owing debts now due to  
I. B. Conner, or to Conner & Osborne,  
are requested to call at their office and  
settle and save costs. This notice means  
business. 1750tf

Elegant Plush and Fur Robes cheap  
at G. W. Koons'. t2050

### Local Department.

Bennett's new restaurant had a grand  
opening last Saturday.

Charley Shafer is spending a two  
weeks' vacation at home.

Elder Pallister and family have re-  
turned from their vacation.

Second anniversary of the Eclectic  
society at the school house this even-  
ing.

The circuit court for this county  
stands adjourned until October 29th, at  
10:30 a. m.

Remember the engagement of Fran-  
cis Labadie at Longwell's opera house,  
Oct. 11th and 12th.

The Cleveland Bay Co. captured  
seven first and two second premiums  
at the South Haven fair.

A special meeting of the Republican  
club is called for Saturday evening,  
Oct. 6th, at 7:30. Important business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shipman returned  
to their home near Albion on Saturday  
last after a pleasant visit with relatives  
here.

Hon. Frank Plumley of Vermont, the  
popular republican campaign orator,  
will speak at Hartford next Friday  
evening.

Bartram & Millington, the "hustling  
druggists," have something new and  
interesting to say to their patrons in  
this paper.

J. R. Galligan has an auction sale of  
horses, cattle, grain, hay, etc., at his  
farm next Monday, beginning at ten  
o'clock a. m.

N. B. Crane of East Portland, Ore-  
gon, is visiting at his father's. Noe  
says the whole Pacific slope is enthusi-  
astic for Harrison.

Broughton, the great advertiser, still  
sticks to printers' ink, although, as he  
truthfully remarks, he has some great  
advertisers in his mammoth stock.

Mrs. Jane Labadie, aged eighty years,  
died last Monday night at her residence  
on the banks of Three Mile Lake, where  
she has resided for the past forty-five  
years.

Sombody locked the next republican  
probate judge in his office the other  
day and he had to call on the sheriff to  
release him. An action for false im-  
prisonment would seem to rest on a  
sure foundation in such a case.

Jason Woodman Esq., lecturer of the  
Michigan state grange, will address the  
citizens of Glendale and vicinity on the  
political issues of the day, next Satur-  
day evening.

The amount of state taxes apportioned  
to Van Buren county for the  
present year is \$21,596.62, a decrease of  
\$7,379.78, or twenty-five per cent, as  
compared with last year.

Hon. Samuel S. Fifield and wife of  
Ashland, Wisconsin, are the guests of  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Free. Mr. Fifield  
is an ex-lieutenant governor of Wiscon-  
sin and editor of the Ashland Press.

Particular attention is directed to the  
new "ad." of those enterprising and  
stirring dry goods men, W. J. Sellick  
& Son. They have a stock that can but  
prove satisfactory as to style, quality  
and price.

The verifications of the signal service  
predictions at this place for the month  
of September were as follows: Temper-  
ature, 84 per cent; weather, 80 per  
cent; average of weather and tempera-  
ture, 82 per cent.

While Mr. John Walker was at work  
at the Paw Paw mills a few days since,  
the staging upon which he was stand-  
ing gave way and Mr. W. had a bad  
fall, breaking several of his ribs. His  
injuries are painful, of course, but not  
dangerous.

Hon. J. C. Burrows and Col. B. F.  
Heckert hold meetings next week as  
follows: Gobleville, Monday afternoon;  
Paw Paw, Monday evening; Lawton,  
Tuesday afternoon; Lawrence, Tuesday  
evening. The famous Chicago glee  
club will accompany them.

The Baptist young ladies of the third  
division will hold their next regular  
social on Tuesday evening, October 9th,  
in the church parlors. A short pro-  
gramme will be presented and candies  
will be offered for sale. Admission,  
five cents. Doors open at seven.

One of the questions in civil govern-  
ment asked at the Hartford examina-  
tion was: "How many electoral votes  
has Michigan?" The answers ranged  
all the way from three to thirty-seven,  
eleven seeming to be the favorite num-  
ber, but few giving the correct answer,  
thirteen.

We noticed in the South Bend Times,  
a very flattering notice of our friend  
Geo. T. Alexander, formerly of Porter  
in this county, and of his elegant and  
extensive drug establishment in that  
city. The NORTHERNER, in common  
with his many Van Buren county  
friends, is pleased to learn of Mr. Alex-  
ander's prosperity and success.

It is better to know less than to know  
so much that isn't true. For instance,  
the Courier of last week, when it spoke  
about the rapidly with which that new  
machinery was being placed in Wise &  
Tuckey's mill, when the truth was that  
not a single piece of their machinery  
had been received, and it is not ex-  
pected for a week or ten days to come.

The young ladies' republican club  
and the young gentlemen's flambeau  
club had a joint drill the other evening.  
Both clubs did admirably, but the boys  
would have kept a straighter line if  
they had paid just a little more atten-  
tion to the commands of their drill  
master and just a little less to the girls.  
We know the temptation is strong,  
boys, but try to resist it.

"Pygmalion and Galatea" will be the  
opening piece presented by the Labadie  
troupe. Mr. Labadie has a large circle  
of friends and relatives in this village  
and vicinity, and his ability as an actor  
and his power to entertain an audience  
are so well known here that the mere  
announcement of his coming is all that  
would be needed to secure him good  
houses. He is ably supported by Miss  
Hattie Rowell, his leading lady.

The young ladies' republican club of  
this village, in connection with the  
flambeau club, on Wednesday evening  
last, paid their respects to Miss Luce,  
daughter of the governor, who was visit-  
ing at Hon. J. J. Woodman's. After  
a pleasant hour of social converse and  
a little exhibition drill by each of the  
clubs, Miss Luce returned her thanks  
for the compliment paid her, followed  
by a few remarks by Mr. Woodman,  
the young ladies and gentlemen formed  
as one company and marched back to  
the republican club room.

### The Masonic Corner Stone.

The interesting ceremony of laying  
the corner stone of the new masonic  
hall was performed last Tuesday morn-  
ing, as advertised. The weather was  
so cold and raw that there was not a  
large attendance. Deputy Grand Mas-  
ter Young of Kalamazoo, acted as mas-  
ter of ceremonies and was ably assisted  
by the Paw Paw brethren and by visit-  
ing members from Lawrence, Lawton  
and Kalamazoo. Among the latter, we  
noticed Judge A. J. Mills. After the  
stone was lowered into position, copies  
of the NORTHERNER and the Courier, a  
history of the lodge, emblems of the  
order, etc., were deposited therein and  
securely sealed. Ex-Lieutenant Gov-  
ernor Fifield of Wisconsin, a master  
of the most exalted degree, then closed  
the exercises of the occasion with a  
brief, but appropriate address.

### Marriage Licenses.

No. 248--Byron Hoxie, aged 32, of  
Lawrence, and Estelle Olds,  
aged 23, of Hartford.  
No. 249--Robt. J. Dean, aged 20, and  
Olivia McKeller, aged 19, both  
of Waverly.  
No. 250--Miles E. Trim, aged 26, and  
Rosa A. Van Horn, aged 21,  
both of Bangor.  
No. 251--Will Barnes, aged 21, of Law-  
rence, and Maudie Remington,  
aged 19, of Bangor.  
No. 252--Finley W. Matthews, aged  
28, of Porter, and Anna M.  
Wilson, aged 20, of Kalamazoo.  
No. 253--Lowell La Bar, aged 25, of  
South Haven, and Anna Har-  
dis, aged 19, of Bangor.  
No. 254--Thos. H. Japhet, aged 21,  
and Della Canham, aged 17,  
both of Gobles.

### Fair Notes.

Ladies and children under twelve  
admitted free.

Sombody will get the special pre-  
miums advertised in this paper.

Fair ground privileges are being rap-  
idly taken, but that of forage is still  
open.

The narrow gauge will sell round  
trip tickets to the fair for half price.  
Fair tickets can be had at each depot.

Galligan's celebrated flyer, Jim Lane,  
that has won six races out of seven in  
the East, will contest the free-for-all.  
The speed department will be a spe-  
cial attraction. Some good horses will  
try for the liberal purses offered.

The outlook for the fair is even more  
promising than was anticipated. The  
sale of stock is a novel feature and will  
be apt to bring out a large exhibit of  
fine stock. The secretary is receiving  
inquiries from all directions. One large  
dealer in New York says he would  
surely come if he were sure to find good  
horses, suitable for family, hack or  
draft purposes.

### That "Union" Massmeeting.

The much advertised and long talked  
of demo--no, we mean "union" mass-  
meeting and pole raising took place  
last Saturday, according to programme,  
notwithstanding the raw atmosphere  
and muddy roads. Probably there  
were from 2,000 to 2,500 people in at-  
tendance, a very large proportion of  
whom were republicans.

The parade, which seemed to be con-  
ducted without any well defined plan,  
was rather a ragged affair, although  
there were several quite tasty features  
about it and a few of the ladies wore  
elegant costumes.

The pole raising was a success, and  
the pole is handsome and appropriate,  
even to the pointing of the arrow in the  
direction of Cleveland's anticipated 153  
solid southern votes.

The speech in the afternoon was de-  
livered by Mr. Burt and was very dem-  
agogical and tame, arousing very little  
enthusiasm. There was nothing of it  
except the old, exploded claim that the  
tariff is a tax added to both foreign and  
domestic manufactures; a labored at-  
tempt to array the agriculturists of  
the West against the manufacturers of  
the East, and a demagogical tirade on  
the question of state taxation, some of  
the more conspicuous features of which  
were a neglect to show how any of the  
money raised by tax could have been  
dispensed with, or how a democratic  
governor could have saved any portion  
thereof, or where a democratic admin-  
istration could have pared down the  
appropriations in any respect. He  
called the expense of carrying on the  
state government "pin money" and  
sought to create the impression that it  
was an unnecessary and useless ex-  
penditure of public funds. He also con-  
veniently forgot to mention the fact  
that the state taxes for 1888 are nearly  
a half million dollars less than they  
were in 1887. He also warned the  
farmers that they would soon become  
tenants instead of owners of the soil,  
basing his argument largely on the fact  
that there has been sixteen mortgage  
sales in this county during the past  
year. It is quite safe to say that his  
speech made no democratic votes.

In the evening, a large meeting was  
held at the opera house, addressed by  
Frank Dean, whose speech we did not  
have the pleasure of hearing, but which  
is said to have been a very eloquent  
and able exposition of the issues of the  
day from the democratic standpoint.

### NOTED AND JOTTED.

Dismantling the pole disturbed a  
speaker very much.

Ed. Woodman's shetland ponies at-  
tracted a good deal of attention.

Our jeweler says he sold more Har-  
rison than Cleveland badges on Satur-  
day last.

The ladies of the Christian church  
ran an eating establishment in Ball's  
building.

The arrow on the tip of the pole got  
knocked out of plumb just as the party  
will on the 6th of November.

That steamer that hung from the  
new Longwell block gave undue promi-  
nence to the "tail of the ticket."

It isn't often that boxes are used twice  
for a similar purpose, but the seats  
were placed on tomb-stone boxes.

Our business men had their stores,  
offices, etc., elegantly decorated, re-  
gardless of their party preferences.

"I have the pleasure of introducing  
Hon. Wellington R. Burt, the Union  
nominee for governor of Michigan."

It was a good time to carry that big  
red rooster. We like to see our dem-  
ocratic friends crow before they are out  
of the woods.

That howling, drunken mob at the  
Dyckman House was the worst we ever  
saw in town. Many good democrats  
went home disgusted.

Three parties in jail for drunkenness  
and one for assault and battery was  
the record of the day. It might have been  
multiplied many fold.

We wondered how it was that repub-  
licans were driving some of the teams.  
Inquiry developed the fact that they  
were working for pay.

The music was furnished by the Paw  
Paw and Lawton, the Marcellus,  
the Glendale and the Gobleville bands, and  
the Hartford drum corps.

"Where will Benny be when the  
votes are counted?" read one of the  
mottos. "In the White House" is the  
right answer. Ask us a harder one.

The hotels and restaurants reaped a  
rich harvest. Ditto our only saloon,  
although it was compelled to close for  
a time on account of the drunkenness  
of its patrons.

The bills were first headed "Demo-  
cratic," but it has been so long since  
that party sailed under anything but  
false colors, that the experiment was  
abandoned and the heading changed to  
"Union."